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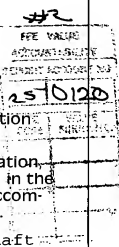
Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Alois BIEBL and Guenther HIRSCHMANN

corresponding to German application 199 31 689.9, filed July 8, 1999,

entitled: OPTOELECTRONIC COMPONENT GROUP

Enclosed are:

☒ 10 pages of specification.☒ 1 sheets of formal drawings.☒ a newly-executed declaration of the inventors.☐ a copy of an executed declaration of the inventor from prior application Serial No. , filed .☐ incorporation by reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied as indicated in the preceding box, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.☒ an assignment of the invention to Patent-Treuhand-Gesellschaft fuer elektrische Gluehlampen mbH, including assignment cover sheet.☒ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449.☒ copies of the Information Disclosure Statement citations.☐ preliminary amendment.☒ return receipt postcard (MPEP 503), specifically itemized.☐ a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.☐ a verified statement to establish small entity status filed in prior application. Status is still proper and desired.☒ a certified copy of the German application 199 31 689.9 Priority Document.☒ other: Inventors Information Sheet.

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CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is a certified copy of German patent application no. 199 31 689.9 filed July 8, 1999, for use in connection with the above-identified application.

A claim for priority is made under 35 USC §119.

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